

NORTHEAST REGIONAL COMMAND CENTER
CITIZENS ADVISORY BOARD
9600 Dyer
El Paso, Texas 79924

July 8, 2014

Co-Chairman, Brooks Dawson called the meeting to order at 6:20 p.m.

Brooks led the Board in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Executive Committee Members Present:

Commander Zina Silva
Brooks Dawson – Co-Chairman
Carol J. Mesler - Secretary

Board Members Present:

<i>Inge Anton</i>	<i>Jose Rubio</i>
<i>Regina Arnold</i>	<i>Bill Schultheiss</i>
<i>Lois Bates</i>	<i>Fredrick Shuford</i>
<i>Magnolia Curtis</i>	<i>Carmen Torrez</i>
<i>Gus Hebrok</i>	<i>Karen Weaver</i>
<i>Gloria Rubio</i>	<i>Lt. Eddie Valencia</i>

Board Members Absent:

<i>Dale Baugh (excused)</i>	<i>Jessie Ruelas (excused)</i>
<i>Pat Baugh (excused)</i>	<i>Dave Scepanski</i>
<i>Leslie Canada</i>	<i>Michael Stine</i>
<i>Brian Haggerty</i>	

Introduction of Guest Speaker:

Brooks introduced the Officer of the 2nd Quarter 2014 Detective Zachary Kiesel and his wife and children.

Recognition of Officer of 2nd Quarter 2014:

Lt. Valencia read Lt. Medina's letter of commendation for Detective Kiesel. Brooks then presented the detective with the CAB certificate along with sponsorships from:

Albertson's-Kenworthy, Arby's, AutoZone, Brown Bag Deli, Carino's Italian Grill, Carmike Cinema, Cascade Car Wash, Casita Linda Mexican Restaurant, Chili's, Cici's

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Pizza, Dairy Queen-Fairbanks, Denny's Restaurants-Trans. Mt. & Dyer, Destiny Family Christian Center, EP & Roca Fitness, Firestone Tire & Service Ctr; Golden Corral Steakhouse, Co., Great American Land & Cattle Co., Howah Restaurant, I Hop, Jerry's Automotive, Long John Silver's, Lowe's Home Improvement, Papa John's Pizza, Peter Piper Pizza, Sam's China Bistro, Sonic Drive-In, State Farm Insurance-Rick Altheide, Sun City Security-Jessie Ruelas, Three Pints Pub, Touch Day Spa, Village Inn-Airway and Hondo Pass, Wing Daddy's and Wing it Wings and Things.

Approval of Minutes:

There were no minutes available for the June 10, 2014 CAB meeting.

Commander's Report by Lt. Valencia:

- Using 2 PAR officers for bike patrols for presence at problem spots like Veterans, Nations-Tobin, and NE Regional Parks.
- All CPOs currently attending annual Crime Prevention Conference at College Station Texas this week
- Explorer Advisors and City-wide Explorers teams competing at State Competition July 11- 13 at Arlington Texas.
- Music Under The Stars events taking place almost every Sunday at Chamizal throughout Summer.
- National Night Out taking place Tue. August 5, 2014, 6pm- 9pm. Contact Officer Bell at 759-2004 if would like to have a block gathering, to arrange an officer to visit site.
- PAR has a few free electric fans to donate to needy persons. Contact Lt Velasquez 759-2028 or Officer Davis 759-2017 if you know a person or family who could benefit from a fan.
- Crime is still holding steady at minus 3%. Only Beer Runs have gone up.
- Couple of traffic fatalities over the past two weeks one involving a motorcycle.
- No crime trends or patterns to report.

Committee Reports:

None available.

Old Business:

Brooks said that Gracie and Jaime Sanchez have moved and settled in a new area in San Antonio and that Carol had received an e-mail from them and had spoken to Gracie who said to say hello to all.

New Business:

Brooks read a news release and an e-mail from Sgt. Natividad both regarding Officer Robert "Bobby" Ontiveros being selected as Peace Officer of the Year by the Texas Gang Investigators Association at their 2014 Annual Conference in San Antonio.

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Community Concerns:

Bill gave information regarding a trailer parked for some time on Bourbon Street loaded with lawn debris. Code enforcement had been called with no response. The commander said the trailer can be tagged, then picked up by code enforcement after five days.

Lois gave information about drugs being sold in her neighborhood, took license plate numbers and the police will check it out.

Bill asked about the number of vehicles allowed on a property on Rushing and one is for sale; they have to be parked on an approved surface, and the one for sale is "curb stoning" which is illegal.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol J. Mesler, Secretary

***NEXT MONTH'S MEETING WILL BE HELD ON
Tuesday, August 12, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.***

Please call one of the following if you cannot be at the meeting:

Carol Mesler – 755-0209

Or

Isabel Hernandez (the commander's secretary) – 759-2051

"Why not go out on the limb? That's where all the fruit it."

Unknown